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Subject: Food Irradiation Labeling

Dear Sirs and Madams,

In response to docket #98N-1038 "irradiation in the production, processing, and handling of food" I would like to express the following concerns.

In general, I am opposed to using irradiation in the production, processing, and handling of foods. I believe it to pose a health threat, as well as being a threat to the environment. While I would like to see the entire practice disallowed, I am MOST interested in making sure that foods treated in such a way REMAIN labeled so that consumers such as myself can continue to choose not to purchase them.

I urge you to please continue to require the labeling of all foods and vegetables that have been exposed to irradiation in their production, processing, or handling.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation,

Bonnie Buckner

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